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For each i          /* rows */
  for each j        /* columns */
    for each u      /* u = 0,1,..., k */
       $MM_u(i,j) = M_u(i,j) + \sum_{x,y} w_u(x,y)e_u(i-x,j-y)$ 
5    endfor (u)
      ExOut(i,j) =  $\operatorname{argmin}_{c \in C} (\sum_u v_u |MM_u(k,l) - c_u|^p)^{1/p}$ 
                  /*  $c_u$  is the (u+1)-th coordinate of  $c$  */
       $(e_0(i,j), \dots, e_k(i,j)) = (MM_0(i,j), MM_1(i,j), \dots$ 
                                 $MM_k(i,j)) - \operatorname{ExOut}(i,j)$ 
10    endfor (j)
  endfor (i)
Set embedded source image  $M_0'$  as the first
coordinates of ExOut.

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Figure 1A





FIGURE 2A



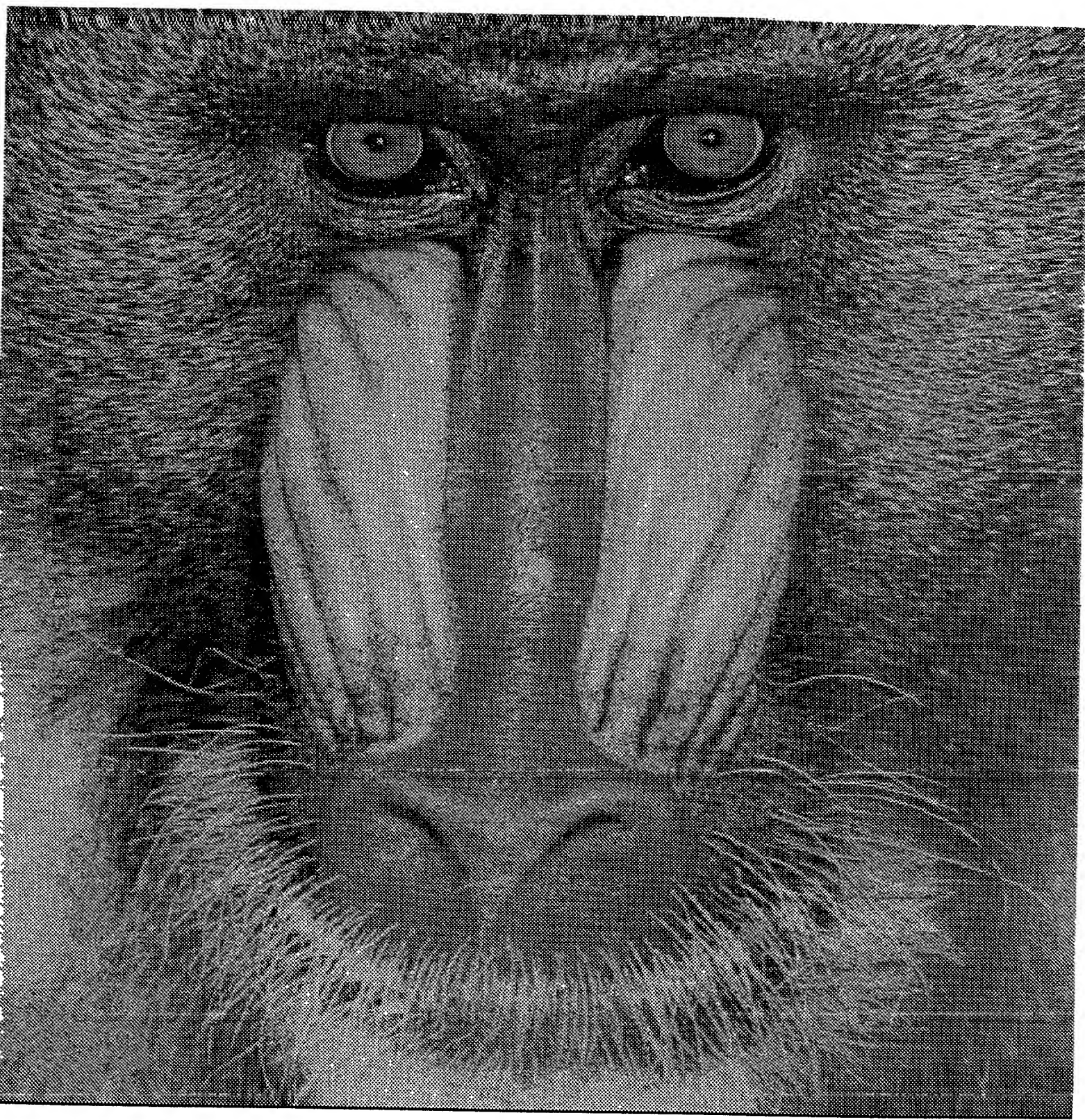


FIGURE 2B





FIGURE 2C



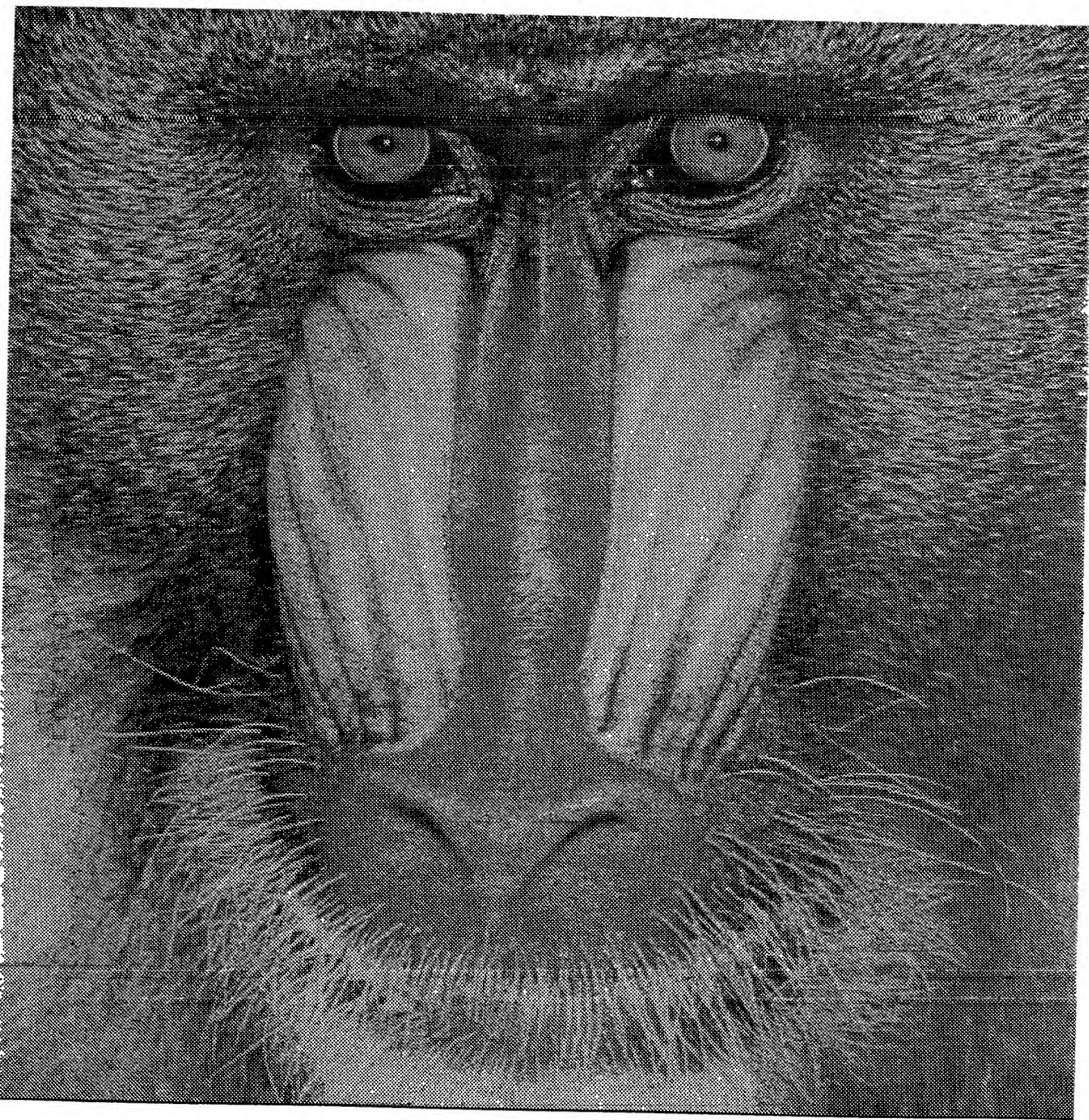


FIGURE 2D

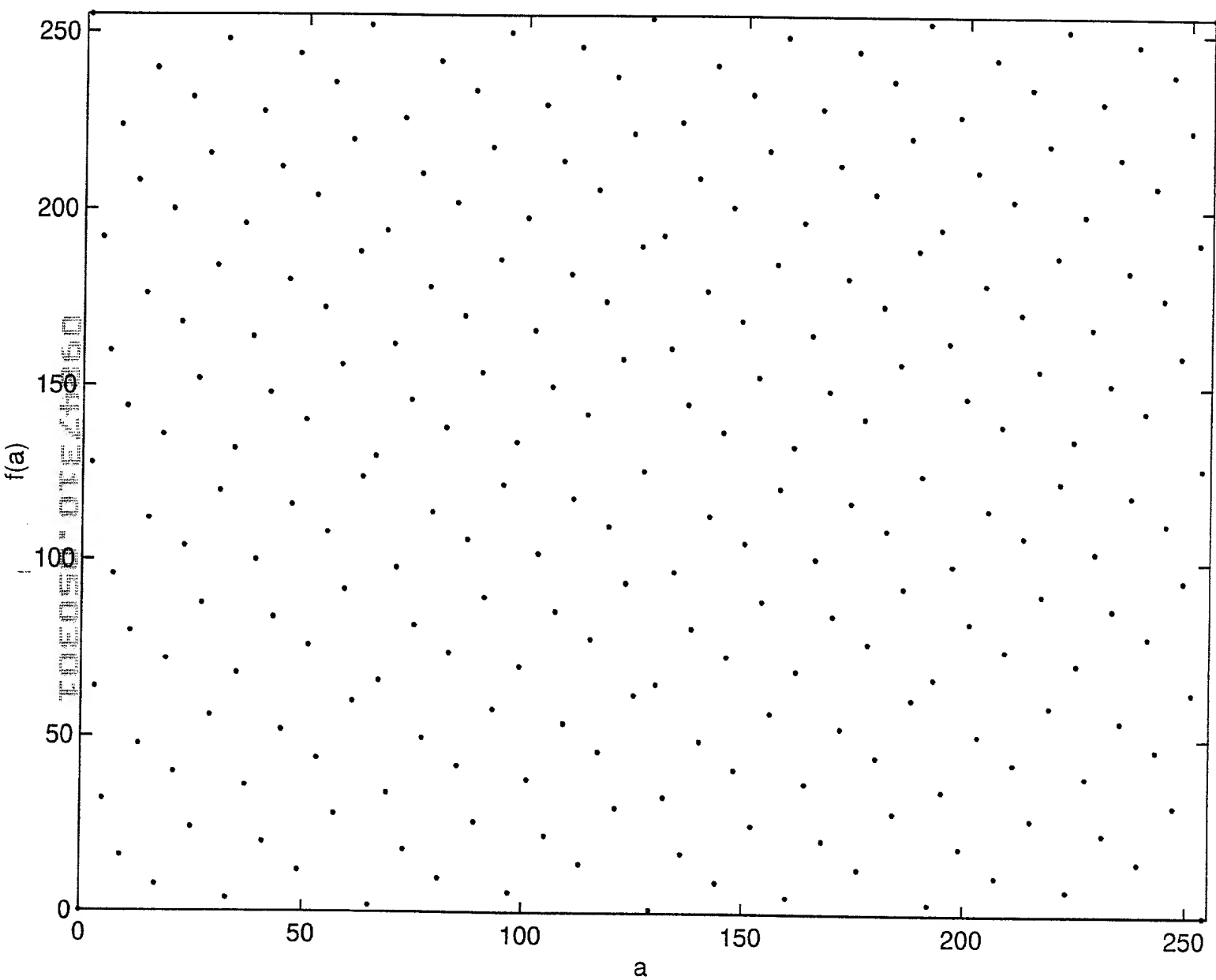


FIGURE 3A

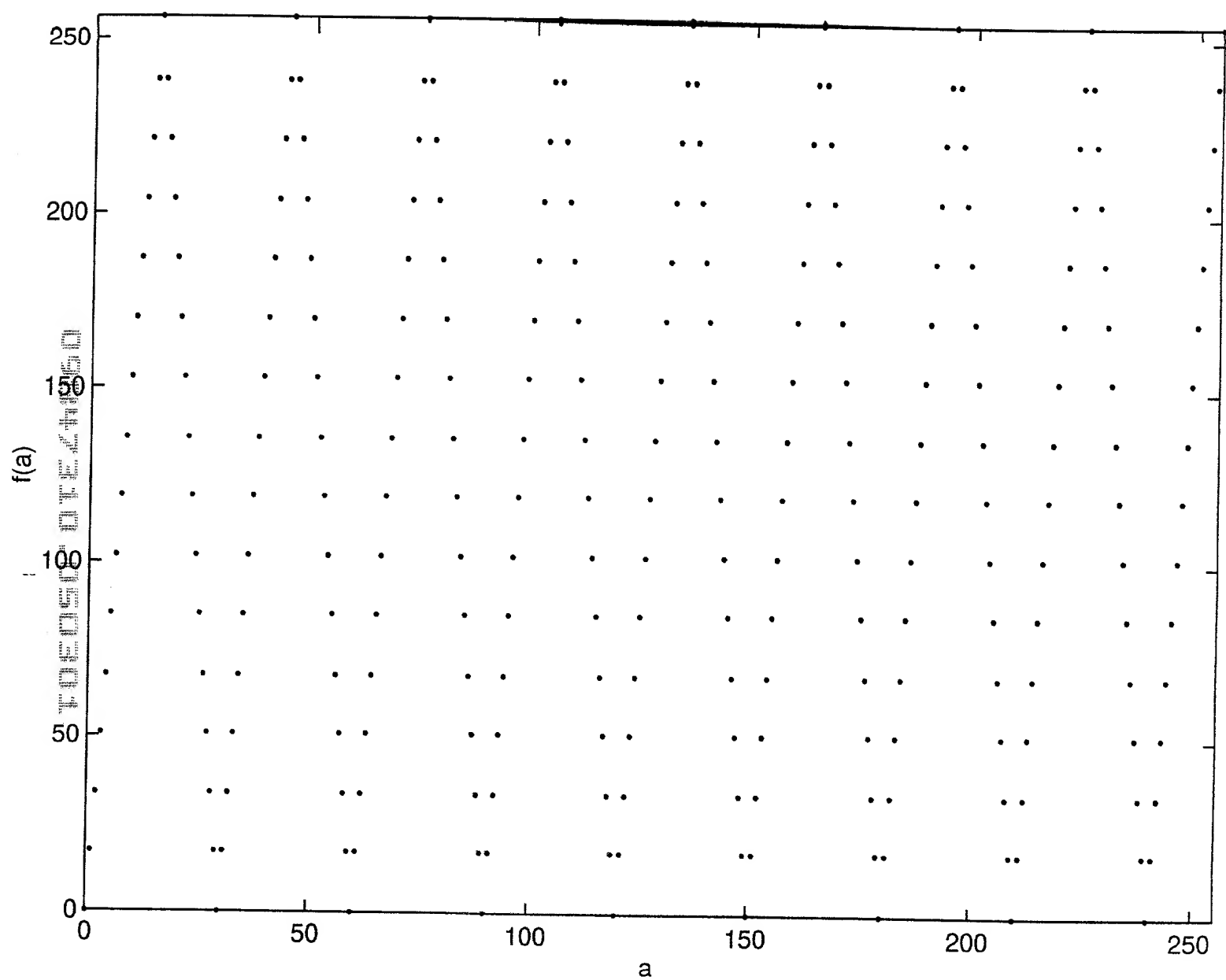


FIGURE 3B





FIGURE 4A





FIGURE 4B

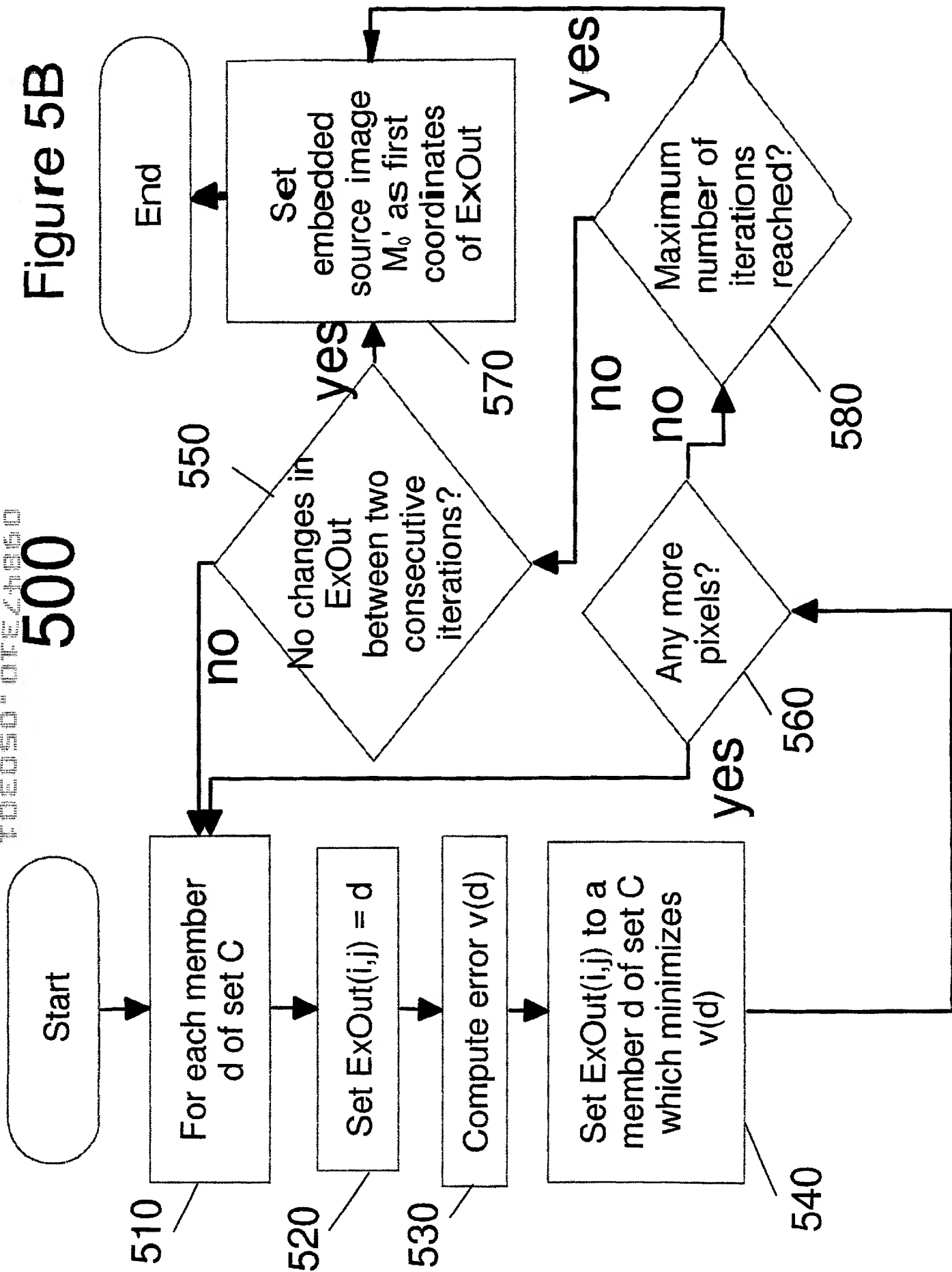
For each iteration /\* iteration \*/  
 for each i /\* rows \*/  
 for each j /\* column \*/  
 for each member d of C /\* search through  
 5 all possible members  
of C \*/  
 set ExOut(i,j) = d  
 compute  

$$v(d) = |L(\text{ExOut}_0 - M_0)|^2 + |L(\text{PExOut}_1 - M_0)|^2$$
  
 10 endfor (d)  
 set ExOut(i,j) =  $\underset{d}{\operatorname{argmin}} v(d)$   
 endfor (j)  
 endfor (i)  
 endfor (iteration) or until ExOut has not changed  
 15 between two consecutive iterations.  
 Set embedded source image  $M_0'$  as the first  
 coordinates of ExOut.

Figure 5A



Figure 5B



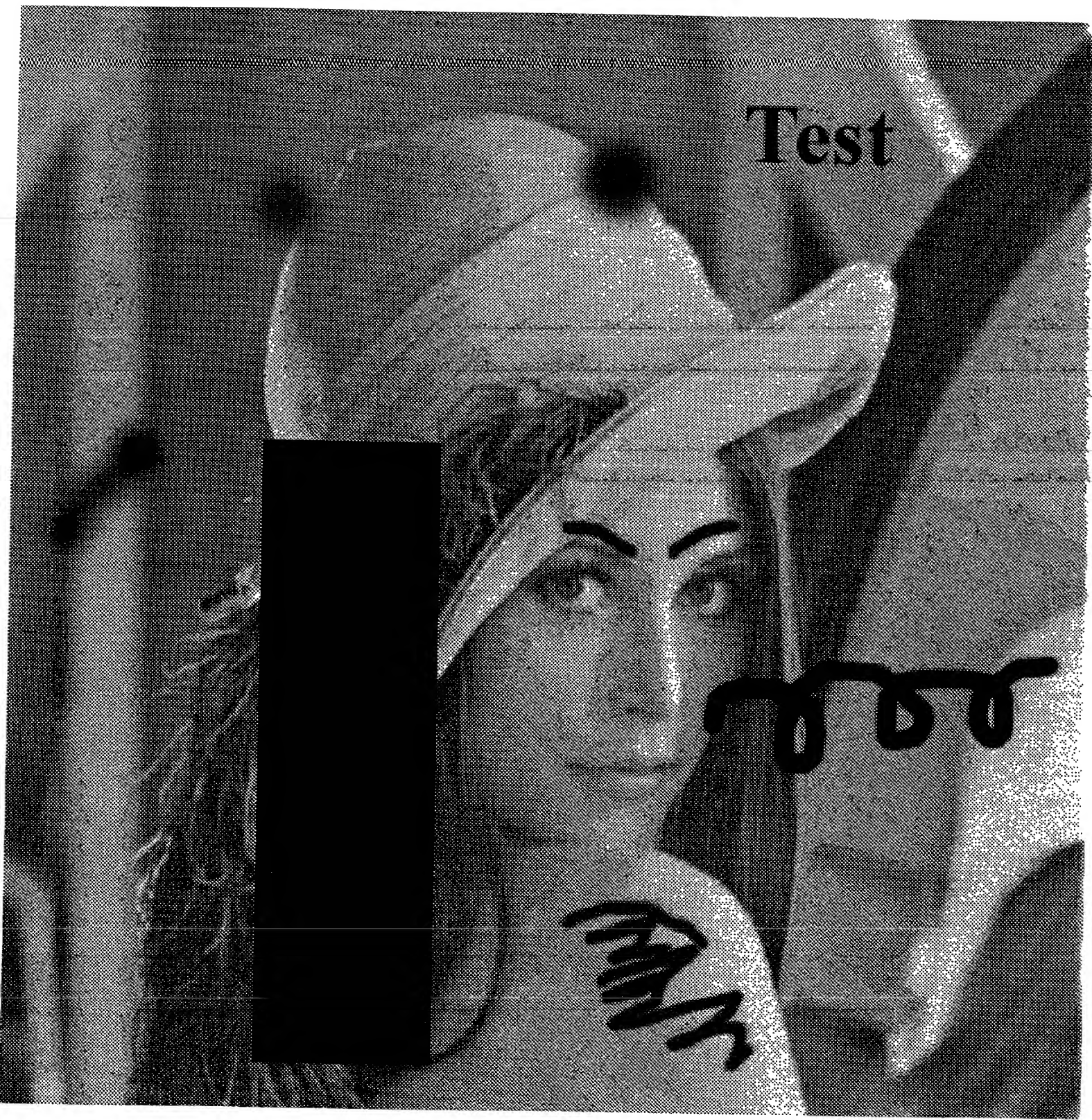


FIGURE 6A





FIGURE 6B



Test



Handwritten scribbles or marks, possibly resembling the letters 'E' and 'L'.

Handwritten scribbles or marks, possibly resembling the letters 'O' and 'O'.

FIGURE 6C



FIGURE 6D





FIGURE 6E



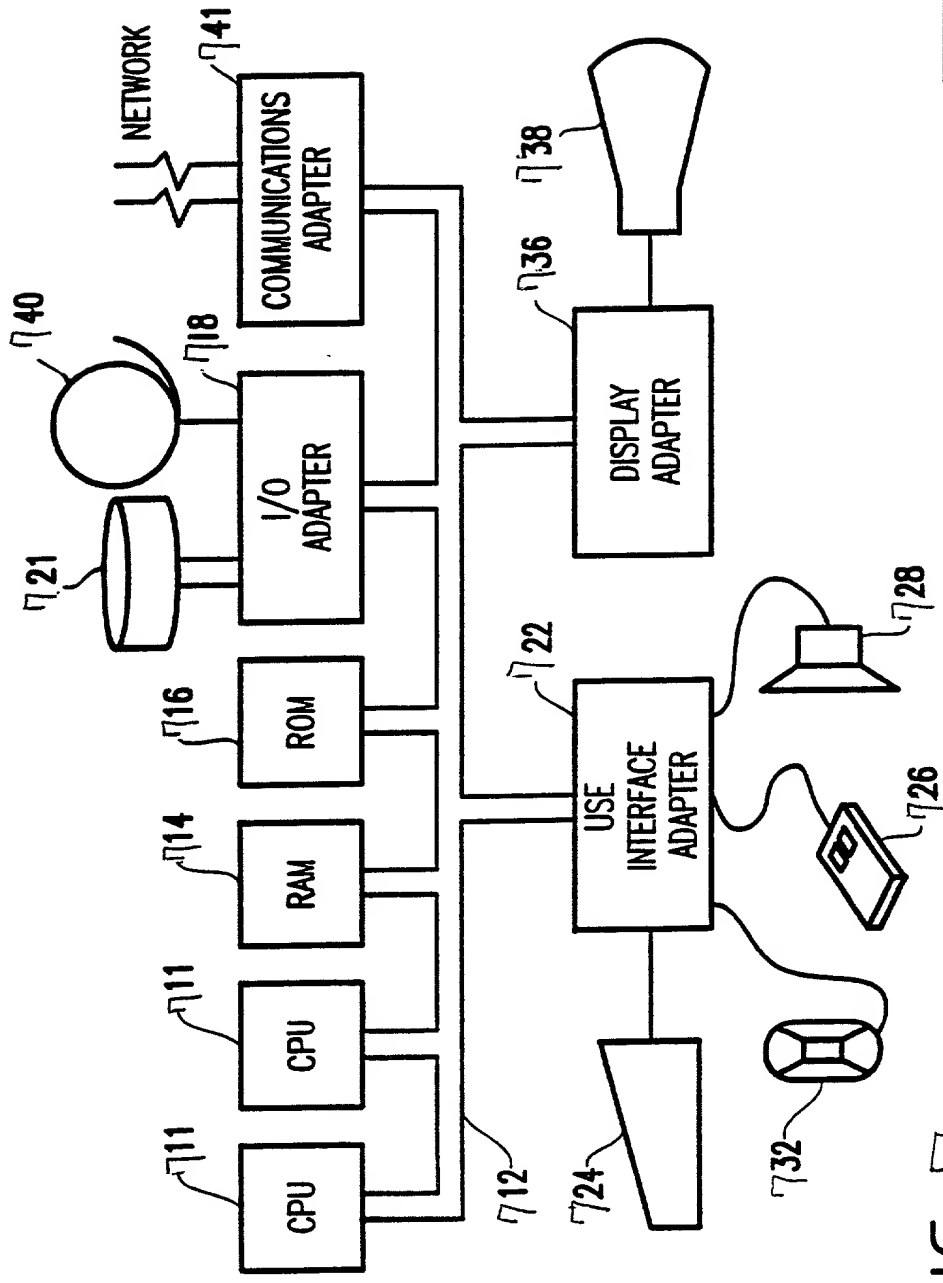


FIG. 7

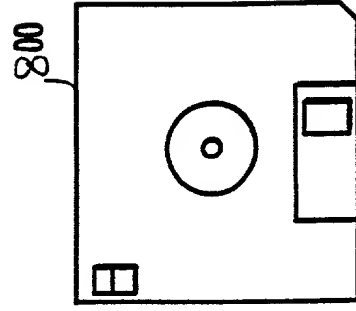


FIG. 8